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AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 10th Day of *August*, 1759,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased by His Order in Council of the 11th of July last, to declare and order, (amongst other Things) That all such of His faithful Subjects, who should from and after that Time enlist themselves as Soldiers in His Land Service, should not be sent out of Great Britain, and should be intitled to their Discharge in three Years, or at the End of the War, if they should chuse it; — His Majesty, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth hereby most graciously repeat and confirm the same, with relation to such as shall hereafter enlist on those Conditions; as also to such as have been enlisted in any Corps from the 11th of July last to this Day — But whereas Doubts have arisen with Respect to the Extent and Meaning of His Majesty's said Order, — His Majesty in Council doth therefore hereby declare, That the Conditions therein contained are not meant or intended to extend to such who shall enlist themselves in Great Britain, to serve in Regiments Abroad, whether Ireland or elsewhere, or to such who may chuse to enlist in any of His Majesty's Corps in the usual Manner, without Limitation of Time or Place of Service.

W. Sharpe.

AT the Court at *Kensington*, the 10th Day of *August*, 1759,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Proclamation of the Fifteenth of May last, "For giving Encouragement to Seamen, and Able-bodied Landmen, to enter themselves on Board His Majesty's Ships of War; for granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves; for pardoning such Seamen as have deserted, and shall return into the Service; and also for taking up all straggling Seamen", was, by Order in Council of the 26th of June last, prolonged and extended from the 3d of July, to the 18th of this Instant August — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majesty's Service,

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that the same should be continued for some Time longer; — His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, that the Time limited by the said Order in Council, be prolonged and extended from the aforesaid 18th Day of this Instant August, to the 29th Day of September next, and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majesty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the said 29th Day of September next: — Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

By the Lords Justices General, and General Governors of Ireland,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N.

George Armagh. John Ponsonby.

WHEREAS His Majesty hath signified unto us His Royal Pleasure, that the Parliament of this Kingdom, which now stands prorogued to the Twenty-eighth Day of this Instant August, be further prorogued to Tuesday the Eighteenth Day of September next; we do therefore publish and declare, that the said Parliament be, and accordingly the said Parliament is, hereby further prorogued to Tuesday the Eighteenth Day of September next; whereof the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament, are to take Notice accordingly.

Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 16th Day of August, 1759.

By their Excellencies Command,

Tho. Waite.

God Save the King.

Florence, Aug. 4. A few Days ago anchored at Leghorn His Britannick Majesty's Ship the *Sheerness*, Capt. Clerk, to careen.

Hague, August 21. We have as yet no Accounts directly from the Prussian Ministry, touching the Battle of the 12th Instant, near Frankfort upon the Oder; but by private Letters from different Parts, it appears, that, in the Beginning of the Day, the King of Prussia succeeded in his Attack upon the Left of the Russian Army; but that the Russians had rallied and formed again near the Jews Burying Ground, where they were again attacked by his Prussian Majesty without Success, which induced the King to return to his Camp at Wolkow, where



where he remains in perfect Health : That the Slaughter was very great on both Sides. The Russians have attempted nothing since the Action ; and it is said, that General Haddick, with the Austrian Cavalry, was returning to join Marshal Daun's Army.

Thursday, August 16.

This Day a Chapter of the Most Noble Order of the Garter was held at Kensington, present, The Sovereign, The Prince of Wales, The Duke of Newcastle, Earl Granville, Earl of Lincoln, Earl of Winchelsea, Earl of Cardigan, and Earl Waldegrave, when his Serene Highness Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick was elected a Knight Companion of the said Most Noble Order.

Whitehall, August 25.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the most Honourable John Manners, Esq; commonly called Marquess of Granby, Lieutenant General of His Majesty's Forces, to be Commander in Chief of all His Majesty's British Forces, as well Horse as Foot, now serving in Germany in His Majesty's Army assembled or to be assembled there under his most Serene Highness Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, Commander in Chief of the said Army.

Whitehall, August 25.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the following Lords and Gentlemen to be General Officers, viz.

James Kennedy, Esq;
Lewis Dejean, Esq;
Henry Seymour Conway, Esq;
James Abercromby, Esq;
George Earl of Albemarle,
Henry Holmes, Esq;
Sir Andrew Agnew, Bart.
Robert Napier, Esq;
Sir Richard Lyttelton,
Francis Leighton, Esq;
Lord Robert Manners,
John Mostyn, Esq;
Edward Pole, Esq; And
John Waldegrave, Esq;
to be Lieutenant Generals.
John Parsons, Esq;
Lord Robert Bertie,
John Adlercron, Esq;
Philip Honeywood, Esq;
Thomas Dunbar, Esq;
Julius Cæsar, Esq;
James Durand, Esq;
George Walsb, Esq; And
John Campbell, Esq;
to be Major Generals.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable William Earl of Sutherland to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant of a Battalion of Highlanders to be forthwith raised for His Majesty's Service.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Robert Murray Keith, Esq; to be Major Commandant of a Corps of Highlanders to be forthwith formed for His Majesty's Service.

William Roy, Esq; And
Alexander M'Lean, Esq;
to be Captains in the said Corps.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint

William Whitshed, Esq; to be Captain in the Third Regiment of Foot Guards.

Michael Hudson, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant,

Alexander Campbell, Esq; to be Lieutenant ;
And, John Blair, Gent. to be Ensign, in the said Regiment.

Henry Patton, Esq; to be Major to the 6th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General John Guise.

Mathew Derenzy, Esq; to be Captain,
Miller Hill Hunt, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant ; And

James Barnes, Gent. to be Lieutenant in the said Regiment.

George Borradaile, Esq; to be Captain in the 19th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Lieutenant General Lord George Beauclerk.

John Bird, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant ;
John M'Gill, Gent. to be Lieutenant ; And
Bacon Wastel, Gent. to be Ensign, in the said Regiment. And

Robert Harpur, Gent. to be Adjutant to the said Regiment.

Caleb Woods, Esq; to be Captain in the 31st Regiment of Foot, commanded by Major General Henry Holmes.

Thomas Varloe, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant,

John Dorcas, Gent. to be Lieutenant ; And,
Robert Worth, Gent. to be Ensign, in the said Regiment.

Colin Campbell, Esq; to be Captain in the 38th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Sir James Ross, Bart.

Thomas Musgrave, Esq; to be Captain in the 64th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel George Townshend.

Rawlins Hillman, Esq; to be Captain in the 71st Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel William Retitot.

Peter Beasley, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant ; and, Nicholas Willard, Gent. to be Ensign, in the said Regiment.

Cuthbert Shaftoe, Esq; to be Captain in the 75th Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel John Boscawen.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint Alexander M'Pherson, Gent. to be Adjutant to the Regiment of Fensible Men of Argyleshire, commanded by Colonel John Campbell.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the following Gentlemen to be Officers in the Regiment of Light Dragoons, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Commandant John Burgoyne.

Robert Kingston, Gent.
John Jennings, Gent.
James Lewis, Gent. And
Hort, Gent.
to be Lieutenants.

Charles Maitland, Gent.
Walmesley, Gent. And
Addington, Gent.
to be Cornets.

Treasury

Treasury Chambers, August 7, 1759.

WHEREAS notwithstanding the several Acts of Parliament now in Force for preventing illegal Lotteries, and the several Convictions of Offenders in pursuance thereof, Information has been lately given to the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, that there is now on Foot in Ireland a Scheme for raising a Sum of Money by the Sale of Tickets or Chances to be determined by the Drawing of the present State Lottery, and that the said Scheme is handed about this Town and other Parts of this Kingdom, and that Tickets or Chances agreeable thereunto are offered to Sale in Defiance and Contempt of the several Acts of Parliament for prohibiting the same; Therefore, in order to put a Stop to such unlawful Proceedings, and to prevent the Ignorant and Unwary from being drawn in by so illegal and pernicious a Practice; This is to inform the Public, that the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have given Directions to their Solicitor to prosecute with the utmost Rigour and Severity of the Law all such as shall be anyways concerned in publishing such Schemes, or buying or selling any such Tickets or Chances. And whereas Mr. John M'Carrick and Mr. Henry Lunn, late of the City of London, were on the 8th of March 1757, convicted of the like Offence, and have ever since absconded in order to avoid the Penalties thereby incurred: Therefore the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury are hereby pleased to offer a Reward of Fifty Pounds, to be paid to any Person or Persons that shall apprehend either of them, on immediate Notice thereof being given to Philip Carteret Webby, Esq; their Solicitor.

G L Y N, Mayor.

A Common Council holden in the Chamber of the Guildhall of the City of London, on Tuesday the 14th Day of August, 1759, and in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Second, King of Great Britain, &c.

Resolved and Ordered,

THAT a Subscription be forthwith opened in the Chamber of London for an immediate voluntary Contribution, to be paid into the said Chamber, and distributed in Bounties or Rewards among such able bodied Landmen as within the Time or Times to be limited for that Purpose shall present themselves, and be enlisted at the Guildhall of this City, to serve as Soldiers in His Majesty's Forces, upon the Terms graciously offered by His Majesty's Order in Council of the Eleventh Day of July last; as explained and confirmed by that of the Tenth Instant: The Purposes of the said Subscription to be executed by a Committee of this Court, as they in their Discretion shall, from Time to Time, judge most expedient for His Majesty's Service.

Resolved and Ordered,

That the Chamberlain of this City do subscribe the Sum of One Thousand Pounds on Behalf of this City, and that he place that Sum out of this City's Cash, to the Credit of the said Subscription.

Resolved and Ordered,

That for a farther Encouragement to able Men to enlist as aforesaid at the Guildhall of this City, and to serve their King and Country with Zeal, and due Submission to Military Discipline, during the Con-

tinuance of the present War, every Soldier so enlisted, who shall not have deserted, and who, after the Expiration of his Service, shall produce to the Chamberlain of this City a Testimonial of his good Behaviour, under the Hand of a Field Officer, shall, thereupon, be immediately admitted by the said Chamberlain, without Fee or Reward, to the Privilege of Setting-up and Exercising such Trade within the said City and Liberties thereof, as he is apt and able for.

Resolved and Ordered,

That the Town Clerk do attend the said Committee, and give to every Person who shall be enlisted in Consequence of the above Resolutions, a Certificate thereof, under his Hand, without Fee or Reward.

Hodges.

G L Y N, Mayor.

A Common Council holden in the Chamber of the Guildhall of the City of London, on Friday the 17th Day of August, 1759.

Resolved and Ordered,

That if after the Service intended to be promoted by the Subscription now opened in the Chamber of London shall be fully answered, there shall be any Surplus of the Subscription Money left in the Chamberlain's Hands, the same be forthwith returned to the several Subscribers, or their legal Representatives, in Proportion to the Sums by them respectively subscribed.

Hodges.

N. B. The Subscription Book will lie open at the Chamberlain's Office at Guildhall, every Day (Sundays and Holidays excepted) from Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, 'till Two in the Afternoon.

Belvoir Castle, August 21, 1759.

His Majesty's Lieutenant of the County of Leicester returns his Thanks to the High Sheriff and Gentlemen of the Grand Jury, for the Letter they honor'd him with. *H*iberto a sufficient Number of Gentlemen have not offer'd themselves to serve as Officers in the Militia of the said County, but as by the Letter he imagines each of those Gentlemen intends to offer his Services, he begs the Favor of them to specify the Rank in which they are willing to serve. He very sincerely wishes the same laudable Zeal had been earlier exerted, and before all further Proceedings had (pursuant to the Directions of the Acts of Parliament) been suspended till March next. He apprehends that he is not now at Liberty to act further (than preparatory only) till that Time, but if any of those Gentlemen can point out any Method for immediately putting those Acts into Execution, he shall think himself much obliged to them, and will most readily co-operate with them to the utmost of his Power. Any other Gentlemen of the County desirous of serving as Officers in the said Militia, are requested to acquaint him with such their Inclinations, specifying also the Rank in which they are willing to serve.

RUTLAND.

Ramsgate Harbour, August 24, 1759.

The Trustees for Enlarging and Maintaining the Harbour of Ramsgate, are desired to meet at the Seamen's Office on the Royal Exchange, on Friday the 7th of September next, for the Choice of a Secretary in the room of Archibald Elliot, Esq; deceased, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Squirrel, who were actually on Board her at the taking the America on the 31st of May, 1757, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the said Prize, on Board the Brilliant on her Arrival at Plymouth from her present Cruise; and the Shares not then demanded will be paid at the Recalls the third Tuesday in the Month, (after the Payment made on Board) at the French Horn in Crutched Friars, London, for three Years to come.

General